(3) Examination of the productivity at Cochin Shipyard Ltd. and Hindustan Shipyard Ltd. and giving recommendations for improvement.

Licences for production of LPG cylinders

†*190. SHRI BHAGATRAM MAN-
SHRI NARENDRA SINGH:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact most of the entrepreneurs to whom letters of intent and even licences have been granted for production of LPG cylinders have failed to go ahead with the scheme;

(b) if so, what is the number of units for which letters of intent and licences for production of such cylinders have been issued during the current year and how many of them have failed to go ahead according to schedule; and

(c) what steps are contemplated against the defaulting entrepreneurs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI PATTABHI RAMA RAO): (a) No, licence under the Industries (Development & Regulation) Act is required to manufacture LPG Cylinders. Manufacturing facilities for this item can be created by getting the unit registered with DGTD. Some of the registered units have not been able to commence production within the validity period of their registration.

(b) 66 units have been registered during the period January to July 1984. Since registration is valid for an initial period of 2 years, it is not possible ot state the number of cases that may fail to come up.

(c) Progress of implementation of the registered units is watched if no effective steps are taken by the entrepreneurs, the registrations are cancelled.

†Previously Starred Question No. 110 transferred from the 30th July, 1984.

राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समितियां-विहीन केन्द्रीय विद्यालय

*191. **श्री राम नरेश कुशवाहा :** क्या शिक्षा और संस्कृति मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) कितने केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों में राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समितियां गठित की जा चुकी है ; और

(ख) शेष विद्यालयों में इन समितियों के गठन के लिए क्या कदम उठाये गये हैं ?

शिक्षा और संस्कृति तथा समाज कल्याण मंत्रालय में उपमंत्री (श्री पी० के० थुंगन) : किसी में नहीं ।

(ख) अनुदेशों के अनुसार, केन्द्रीय विद्यालयों में राजभाषा कार्यान्वयन समितियां गठित करने की कोई आवश्यकता नहीं है ।

Spread of apple scab disease

*192. SHRI NARENDRA SINGH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Government's attention has been drawn to the spread of apple scab disease in Himachal Pradesh;

(b) if so, what was the extent of damage caused by this cancerous disease in the apple orchards in Himachal Pradesh in particular and the country in general during the years 1982 and 1983; and

(c) what aid is being given by the Central Government to the growers in order to eradicate the disease?

THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE (RAO BIRENDRA SINGH): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) An area of about 36,000 hectares in Himachal Pradesh and about 60,000 hectares in Jammu and Kashmir was affected by apple scab in 1983. The exact figures of total area affected in 1982 are not available. However, Himachal Pradesh covered an area of about 8,000 hectares and Jammu & Kashmir covered an area of about 17,000 hectares with anti-scab measures. Scab infection has also been found in a minor form in parts of Arunachal Pradesh and Sikkim.

(c) The following financial assistance has been provided by the Centre:

Name of items	Amount in lakhs	
	Himachal Pradesh	Jammu & Kashmir
1 Control and eradication of Pest & Disease of Agricultural importance in endemic area (1983-84)	9·80	55·38
Improved technology for quality apple production		
1983-84	26·48	..
1984-85	2·12	7·68
3 Advance Plan assistance	500·00	..

Lease hold rights for people living in tenements

*193. SHRI M. BASAVARAJU:
SHRIMATI MAIMOONA SULTAN:

Will the Minister of WORKS AND HOUSING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the newsitem which appeared in the Hindustan Times of 15th June, 1984, to the effect that Government have decided to grant perpetual lease hold rights to occupants of tenements in Delhi under the Slum Clearance Scheme;

(b) whether it is a fact that the construction of lavatories and bath room by the 1st floor residents of these colonies as per the standard maps issued by DDA has not yet been undertaken;

(c) whether he or the Lt. Governor Delhi/Vice-Chairman DDA has received complaints from the Members of Parliament during the last year to this effect as also for the demolition of illegal constructions on the foot-paths; and

(d) if so, the manner in which Government propose to confer the lease-hold rights to the occupants of those tenements without demarcating the areas between the residents of ground floor and 1st floor and the number of families that would be benefited?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS, SPORTS AND WORKS AND HOUSING (SHRI BUTA SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) This has been done except in Brahampuri Colony where latrines and bath rooms have not been constructed as per the standard design.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) The ownership right conferred under the scheme will be in respect of tenements as originally allotted with such modifications as have been approved by the concerned authority, subject to fulfilment of prescribed conditions. About 18,000 families would be benefited by the decision to confer permanent lease-hold right to allottees/occupants of slum tenements in Delhi. The decision will however not be applicable to unauthorised constructions, encroachments, etc. which are to be dealt with under the local laws.